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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29TH, 1888.

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ARRIVALS. November 28, ICHANG, British str., 1,250, T Bhaw, Shanghai 24th November, Ballast.-BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

November 28, Namoa, British str., 869, T. G Pocock, Foochow 25th November, Amoy 26th, and Swatow 27th, General.—Douglas LAPRAIR & Co.

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November 28, PALINURUS, British str., 1,536, T. S. Jackson, Shanghai 22nd November, Tes. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. November 28, Acriv, Danish steamer, 355, Reve-

beck, Hoihow 27th November, General. ARRESTO, KARBERG & Co. November 28, PREUSSER, German str., 2,879, C. Pohle, Bremen 17th October, Antwerp 20th, Southampton 21st, Genca 29th, Port

Said 5th November, Suez 6th, Aden 10th, 271 Colombo 17th, and Singapore 23rd, Mails and General .- MELCHERS & Co. CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.

28TR NOVEMBER. Wingsang, British str., for Singapore. Palinurus, British str., for Singapore. Johannes Brun, Norw. str., for Halphong. Galley of Lorne, British str., for Kobe. Bisogno, Italian str., for Singapore. Almora, British str., for Amoy. Beigie, British str., for Amoy. Clara, German str., for Haiphong.

DEPARTURES.

November 28, DIONE, Norwegian bark, for San Francisco November 28, HAILOUNG, British steamer, for

Swatow November 28, FREJR, Danish str., for Haiphong. November 28, LAERTES, British str., for Singa-

November 28, Don Juan, Spanish steamer, for November 28, SACHALIEN, French steamer, for

November 28, FIDELIO, German str., for Swatow. November 28, Gov. Goodwin, Amr. ship, for New York. Tovember 28, Bangie, British str., for San

Francisco. November 28, Bisagno, Italian str., for Bombay. November 28, WINGSANG, British steamer, for

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REPORTS.

The witish steamer Namoa, from Focchor 27th November, Amoy 26th, and Swatow 27th reports from Focchow to Amoy had fresh N.E. winds and fine weather. From Amoy and Swatow to port moderate N.E. winds and fine weether. In Amoy str. Cito.

The German steamer Preusen, foom Bremen 17th October, Antwerp 20th, Southampton 21st Gence 29th, Port Said 5th November, Suez 6th Aden 10th. Colombo 17th, and Singapore 23rd reports till Singapore had fine weather with light N.E. monsoon; from thence to port strong and fresh N.E. monsoon with heavy see and

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AUCTIONS. PUBLIC AUCTION

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Hongkong, le 27 Novembre, 1888. VERLEYE.

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H. E. WODEHOUSE, Police Magistrate. Magistracy, Hongkong, 23rd November, 1888. LODGI

REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the Freemasons HALL Zetland Street, on MONDAY, the 8rd ing Brothren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 26th November, 1888. TOTICE We beg most respectfully state that on the night of the 21st inst we had a Steam Launch moored off the Gas Works at West Point. Shortly before daybreak of the 22nd instant, there was a strong gale blowing, and the Launch was drifted towards the shore, and was in imminent danger of des (or vice versu) within one, year, will be truction. Fortunately Mr. Thomas Morray. European Police Constable No. 80. Mr. NUND SINGH. Indian Acting Sergeant No. 537, Mr. JUNDA SINGH, Indian Police Constable No. 659. and Mr. VEER SINGH, Indian Police Constable No. 602, happened to be eye-witnesses of this state of affairs, and not bearing to stand

without rendering sesistance, came forward and rescued the Launch from her dangerous position and had her made fast to some spare of wood, Thus, to the services rendered by these 4 Gentlemen is due the safety of the Launch. We have therefore expressly inserted this notice in the paper as a token of our gratitude, as we know o no other way to requite their kindness. Hongkong, 26th November, 1888. KWONG NAM SING. Engineers, &c.,

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TELEPHONE No. 12



HONGEONG, NOVEMBER 29TH, 1888.

Ar the meeting of the Sanitary Board thi afternoon Mr. EDE will bring forward the question of over-crowding. Subsection 1 of section 13 of the Public Health Bill give the Board power to make by-laws for " the prevention of over-crowding in premises, either in respect of human beings or the lower animals." Mr. Ene has given notice of his intention to move that a Committee be appointed to draw up by-laws on this subject -with reference principally to human beings: we presume—and that a report on overcrowding be prepared. This looks rather like placing-the cart before the horse; the drafting of the by-laws will properly come after the presentation of the report showing the nature and extent of the evil that has to be dealt with. Section 67 of the Ordinance provides that "Every domestic building or portion thereof found to be inhabited in excess of a proportion of one adult to every three hundred cubic feet of clear internal space shall be considered to be in an overcrowded condition and shall be deemed a nuisance. This section shall apply only such districts, or portions of districts, as may from time to time be designated by an Order the Bill was before the Legislative Council this was one of the most warmly debated clauses, and the Government was urged, but without success, to reduce the space requirement to 200 or 250 feet. There are a very large number of houses in Hongkong oc-(or two children) to every 300 feet of oubic space. It was stated on behalf of the Go. with them a matter to be decided afterwards. vernment that it was not the intention to drive the excess from their homes throughout the Colony at one and the same time, but way Bay ground, under Association rules, toto proceed by districts, by which it was hoped the inconvenience and hardship of the measure would be minimised. So far the law the P. & O. steamer Venetic, from Bombay, left has not been set in motion on this subject, and the matter has now been taken up, not by the Government, but by an unofficial member of the Sanitary Board. It will be interesting to hear what Mr. Eds has to say in support of his proposal. That over-crowding is an evil is indisputable, but it is not al- terday for this port. ways possible to remedy evils by legislative interference, and sometimes where the attempt is made it is attended by even greater

drainage system, Mr. Cooper, the Sanitary Surveyor, mentions that in the month of March of this year the Registrar-General caused a census to be taken in three districts of the western part of the city, of the respecfive areas of 13, 7.71, and 3.52 acres, including streets, with the result that an average population was found of 1,077 1,602, and 488 persons to the acre in the three districts respectively. Mr. Cooper doubts if this density of population is reached in any city or town of the United the effect of overcrowding on the health of The steamer Kaisow, which left for London on lost eight of that the city tensive barbour on its northern and a considerable open space on its southern side more open to the ingress of air than the houses of European towns, and that during the summer a large proportion of the population elsep in the street. Still making all deductions, it must be admitted that overcrowding exists to an extent involving some degree of danger to health. Then comes the question, how is the population in excess of the present house accommodation of the colony on the scale of 300 feet to each adult inhabitant to be provided for. Before this question can be satisfactorily consiadmit of, the measure of that excess.

In his recent report on the proposed new

Kingdom or Europe how much more so much la coe this showing a very monthingable portion of the population of some dietricts would have to be turned out their houses. This, of couse, is out of the question, for the people must live some where, even if to secure a living place they have to submit to the evils of overcrowding To apply the provisions of the Ordinance to one district at a time would only mean, we fear, the greater overcrowding of the already overgrowded districts not under proclamation, unless the Government is prepared with some scheme to attract population to the Eastern district. The provision of easy communication would be essential to the success of any such scheme, but as the laying of a tramway must necessarily be postponed until the completion of the Prava extension. it would seem that the time for action in respect of overcrowding is hardly ripe yet. We admit the existence of the evil, but question the ability of the Government or the Sanitary Board to remedy it under existing conditions. Mr. EDE will, however, render good service by the action bo is taking if he accures a thoroughly exhaustive report on the subject, so that it can be studied intelligently. This will prepare the way for effective

action when the time arrives.

and Republican. Very serious animosity has existed for some time past; and as the Boulangist party now practically includes all parties save the one in power the telegram Editor, not for publication, but as evidence of good | does not enlighten us much, except as showing that the animosity has become more bitter. If the " recent events" had been particularised observers would have been in a clusions. Presumably, however, to the despatch of such a telegram, and storm which has seemed to be brewing for a long time bast is about to break. Boulan-GER has grown in popularity in spite of the the present Administration. The Woolwick ridicule heaped upon him and the sorry figure he cut in his "little affair" with FLOQUET in July last, and is a power to be seriously taken into account. His though they might hear that ships and forts were idea on the revision question is abolish President and Senate, and a telegram of the 17th November informed us that the Revision Commission had decided in this sense, a clear victory, apparently, for vessels that had been completed this year, and the Boulangist party. Although General most of those that would be completed next year, BOULANGER Says two-thirds of the country would rise to resist a Royalist restoration, to this point for the purpose of casting any disthe Royalists are amongst his supporters. their object being to bring about a crisis, in which they may be able to part company with him and make a stroke for power on their own account. The Paris correspondent of the Times says :- " His supporters do not ask him for any planbut merely for victory. It is immaterial to them whether he burns goal or wood in his kitchen, provided the dinner is served up and they can sit down to it. What annova them is to see others seated at it. The General can be under no illusion as to the motives of the great majority. of his supporters." This, so far as we can judge at this distance, accurately but for the practical purposes of the Empire it describes the character of the Boulangist was really largely in excess. party as at a present constituted, an very dangerous party it appears to be There is at present in France a feverish deof the Governor in Council." At the time sire for change; the existing political arrangement has not given satisfaction, and ory has been set up for something new. of opinion, who sink for the time their own cupied in excess of a proportion of one adult differences to overthrow the present state of

There will be a football practice on the Cause-

day, play to commence at 4.15 sharp.

We are informed by the Superintendent that Singapore for this port at noon yesterday.

The Agents (Messrs Adamson, Bell & Co.) inform us that the C. P. steamer Albany arrived at Vancouver from Yokohama on the 26th inst.

The Agents (Messrs, Adamson, Bell & Co.) nform us that the Shire Line steamer Monmouthshire, from New York, left Singapore yes

We are informed by the Agents (Messrs. Butterfield and Swire) that the Ocean Steam-

ship Company's steamer Anchises, from Liverpool, at the Magistracy, on Saturday morning, into the

of the Rifle Association Mr. Wodehouse heard an application yesterday for the renewal of the licence of the Hongkong Hotel, applied for by the manager, Mr. C. M Roberts, who applied for his absence from the

licences was held. The application was granted The Foorhow Echo says :- Tonnage is very 28th November with a full cargo, has shut out

a considerable quantity of tea.

was found quite intact, after being buried, so i is said, for nineteen years, and even the clothing shui master when selecting the spot.

as approximately as the circumstances friend had sent. Immediately on the door being and who once more, on a later occasion, allowed opened, the man and six others, all srmed with all the inmates of the house a free trip to the swords, rashed into the house and ransacked the Peak. High admiration, spiced at first with of the servent Barbara with considerable skill. Mr. Cooper, in his report referred to above, place of all the valuables they could lay their just a grain of fear, was bestowed by the childspeaks of 1,077, 1,602, and 488 persons to hands on. One of the men had threatened her ren on the wonderful invention of the transvay. the acre being a density of population not. The prisoner denied the charge, and the case air on one of the hills in gethering the flower reached in any city or town of the United was remagaisd for further enquiries. which were found growing there."

The Foochew Echo says :-- We regret to learn expenses being so very small.

In the last report from the British Consular Agent at Sandakan, the capital of British North Borneo, tays the Times, reference is made to the planting of tobacco in this new territory. The cultivation of "wrap" tobacco has proved exceedingly lucrative in Sumatra, where some of the leading companies pay dividends of over 100 per cent., and in one case 152 per cent: was paid in 1886. This tobacco combines quality with elasticity and extreme thinness, so that the leaf covers a large number of clears. The value attached to it may be judged from the fact that while the price of ordinary amoking tobacco is about 5d. per lb., wholesale and in bond wrap" fetches from 2s. 6d. to 3s. 6d. On the other hand, the cultivation is attended by nansual risks and very heavy expense, and it was long thought that the peculiar conjunction of soil and climate necessary for its production was confined to Sumatra. But experiments have shown that it can also be grown in British North Borneo. Samples from there were highly recommended at the Colonial and Indian Exhibi- Boulangist and Republican. tion, and suitable land for the purpose is being cagerly taken up, chiefly by Dutch planters. Most of the capital employed and of the Europroduction of "wrap" tobacco has been almost entirely a Dutch industry carried on in Dutch colonies. One of the principal reasons for the Dutch purchasing tobacco lands outside their own colonies is the very heavy taxation to which they are subjected by their own coolie poll-taxes, a licence tax, high railway in France have caused very serious animosity | charges, export and many other dues, and in addition has to pay yearly a tax on his land which between parties, especially the Boulangist would buy it outright in a 999 years' lease in bian Nights." There was a crowded house, North Borneo, where there are practically no taxes or imposts whatever, except these on opium, spirits, and the like. Hence the Dutch are not only prospecting the country for tobacco but also for sugar, coffee, and other oditivation.

Mr. Forwood, Secretary to the Admiralty, inwhich may be read with interest in connection with the delay which has occurred in sending out the guns for the forts of this colony and ingapore. The guns, as fast as they were ready, must be running very high to have led have had to wait. Mr. Forwood said:-The manufacture of big gans could not be effective under wo or sometimes even three years. In years t may be, though we hope not, that the past a cheeseparing policy had reduced the in it deserving of notice, the piece fell very agement was given to the erection of private run factories. This had all been changed by establishment had been re-arranged on a more placed for guns with private firms. The completion of the orders, however, required times and alawaiting guns, they should bear in mind that it was the result of past not present policy. As regards ships he had the same explanation to offer Sufficient time had not elepsed since the present Government came into office even to complete one of the vessels they had laid down. The were begun during the regime of their pre decessors in office. He did not draw attention credit on the vossels, for, undoubtedly, they were in the forefront as specimens of naval architecture and engineering skill. Ho men tioned the circumstances because many might otherwise credit them with the success or attribute to them blame for shortsomings. What they had done was to hurry forward the vessels to completion, believing that economy was best promoted and efficiency best maintained by such a policy. Tt was true in many instance that by this push they had overtaken the guns, but it was better to have ships complete awaiting only their guns, than have an excessive number on the stocks unfluished, each delaying the other. He considered it better policy to lay down a moderate number of shine and complete them in as few months as possible than to undertake a large programme of work and by doing a little to each vessel in the list spin out the time. Their policy had made their work ppear less on paper than under the old system.

nual report of the Berlin Foundling House, in which a good account is given of the work done in that excellent institution. The following some good lines, while it gives even better oppor-General Boulanger has risen into his pre- how we usually obtain these children. One girl taking his performance throughout, sent prominence with this cry, and he carries instead of the hoped-for son, exasperated the did himself justice in the songs allotted to him, ment itself. I do not know whather with him the malcontents of all shades father to such wree, that he not only refused Mr. Phil Ray had not much to do's the Notary. to keep the ch. at also cruelly illtreated the but he gave a careful rendering of the part and other of our new-comers would have been kept confirmed the good opinion we expressed affairs. What is to be set up in its place is by her parents, who had already four daughters of him, on the occasion of and three sons, had not a fortune-teller in writing out the child's horoscope, told them that this girl, if brought up by her parents, would comis powers in a marked degree. Hitherto he Revision Committee," It says-"Consolidation bring rain over the whole family. A couple of has not had any great opportunity of displaying has, under the guidance of the Statute Law twins, the first-born of a very young mother, these powers, but we shall be surprised if he does Revision Committee, accomplished great reforms. were regarded as a beginning of bad owen and therefore repudiated by her parents. would have been destroyed if the missionary had not taken them. One infant who had already been exposed and deserted in a cowehed, astonish- love philtre has taken effect was well carried out. without altering the substance of the law. ed her parents by continuing to live and-to cry for two days running, which vitality and persistency, led them to hope that she might be destined to enjoy a brilliant future, whereupon exceedingly well rendered, and it was only the or a wing there, and might they resolved to take her back into the bosom of knowledge of the very lengthy programme before And -yet this is very much the family. But when the shild became very them that prevented the audience redemanding falls debilitated, they gave her up once more and left her with a missionary-lady, who in turn intended to hand her over to our house. No wonder, however, after the long exposure which the child had suffered, that the tenderest care failed to keep her alive, and she died before she could be forwarded to our insti totion. Here in Hongkong it is our practice to in her acting which was occasionally lacking in Law, and there amendments delaying and im- this instance there is no alteration made in left Singapore yesterday morning for this port. give infants out to wet-nurses, who have to pre- her previous performances. The part of Mrs. perilling the passing of the Bill were passed. the existing law of the Colony, but the Comsent themselves with their charges twice a month Partlett is totally different from anything that One giving Victoria University the same mission have recommended the extension to An enquiry will be held by Mr. Wodehouse and are besides visited occasionally in their homes, to see whether the children are kept there circumstances connected with the death of the also in good condition. When an infant is about Chinaman who was killed by a rifle shot at the 18 months old, she is weared and brought there. sustained the character. Her make up and upon Keble College, which was accepted by the tion 54 of Subsection 6 of the Civil Code to all balls of raw opium without a cortificate of pur-Kowloon Ranges during the recent competitions inpon into this house as a permanent inmate." there is one in the 1st standard who lowed to write in Roman letters the sound and Court on the date when the general renewal of meaning of the Chinese characters, which she the monotony of the week's work is interrupted scarce just now and steamers are getting as by a holiday-afternoon. Besides short walks as, Kingdom or of the Continent of Europe, much as 50s, per ton. The supply of tennage is for instance, to the Public Gardens or to the but says that in considering the question of mot nearly equal to the domand, and there is a West Point Battery, the girls had in former usual, made an efficient conductor. aute in store for them. They were invited and limited width, occupying only The miraculous corpse at Nam Tau has a the case—at the Peak, where they had never Mr. Willard's Hummingtop remains one a narrow strip of ground, with an ex- rival at Foochow, so far as immunity from cor- been, and, what was their greatest wonder, invitraption is concerned, though not as regards heal- ed by the head of the Colonial Government. It ing powers. The Echo says :- In one of the many | was a red day in our Calendar of this year. coffins which were removed from the ground at when Lady des Voeux called at the Foundling. To this it may be added that the houses are the back of Mr. Siemssen's garden the corpse House, very kindly greeted the children and of the defenct was found in good condition. The crowned her visit by an invitation to Mounnatives say the fungshul of that spot is the cause | tein Lodge. The afternoon spent there. of the miracle, and that such cases are not very the night of the house and the whole scenery. rare; it all depends on the capacity of the fung- the marvellous feats performed by a Chinese magician, the refreshments provided in profuse abundance, and last not least the Yesterday a man was charged in the Police gracious kindness, dispelling all shyness, with Court with their of some clothing from West which they were received by the hostess, and house on Sunday night last and stole lewel- time recalled in recollection with gratitude by lery and money to the value of about \$160. our orphans and, let me add, not less by all of She stated that at 7 o'clock on the night of the us their guardians. I have to thank Mr. Find. before by Miss Morrison, Mrs. Hummington, quoted by the hon. gentleman it appears that actually on the person. The law as it stands at quences. The witness that they called to 25th, a man presented himself at the door of her lay Smith, who on this occasion presented us dered, it will be necessary to accertain, house with a basket of oranges, which he said a with tramway-tickets for the whole Company,

The rewards in connection with the the LHONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL hat the firm of Mesers. E. D. Sassoon & Co. tempted escape from Kennedy town were said opium merchants, intend to close their agency yesterday. Inspector Stanton received a second at this port by the end of the year, owing to their class medal for his action in the affair, the nability to compate with the native importers, master of the launch with which he ran down who, we hear oah afford and are always selling the convicts has been given \$25, and the two their drug at five to ten dollars cheaper than Chinese and one Indian constable have been foreign importers can, owing to their trading raised in their respective plasses and been made the recipients of \$10 each.

> The following are the Orders of the Day for this afternoon's meeting of the Sanitary Board:-1.—Mr. Ede, pursuant to notice, will move;—
> That a Committee be appointed to frame by-laws under sub-section 18 of section 18 of "The Public Health Ordinance" and to report to the Board on the subject of overcrowding as early as possible.
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> 2.—Papers on the subject of the Reensing of public

8.—Papers concerning the licensing of private depôts for the keeping of Cattle imported into the colony for the purpose of being slaughtered.

4.—By-laws under sub-section 24 of section 13 of the Public Health Ordinance relating to Infectious

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REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

Recent events in France have caused ver serious animosity between parties especially the

A British infantry regiment homeward bound peans engaged are Dutch, because hitherto the has been landed at Suskim to assist the garrison?

MR. WILLARD'S COMPANY AT THE THEATRE ROYAL.

There was a big programme at the Theatre Government. In Java the planter has to pay Royal on Tuesday night, Mr. Willard's Company producing Gilbert and Sullivan's comic opera "The Sorcerer" and the comedy " Arathe programme was a little too long, for despite the waits being of the shortest, the curtain did not fall on the last act of "Arabian Nights" until about half-an-hour after midnight. The Company have not produced "The Sorgerer" here before, and that taken in conjunction with recent political speech, made some remarks the fact that our local amateurs played the piece very successfully, excited a good deal of ouriosity. as to how the Company would acquit themselves. As a whole, the piece was one of the least happy were taken by new men-of-war, and the forts of those the Company have yet given us. There was a tameness and lack of life about the production, and although there were vertain points amounts available for ordnance, and no encour- fat. The performance, however, of the farcical failing in the opening piece. The Company have before given two very successful performances businesslike basis, and large orders had been of this piece, but nevertheless they managed to keen the house in a roar the whole time, and from the rise of the curtain to the finish there was not a dull moment, and it was the more to be regretted therefore that owing to the perform. ance concluding at such a late hour many wore obliged to leave before the piece was finished. In the opening piece Mr. Sheridan filled the

part of John Wellington Wells, but the character

was not suitable to him, and he bardly seemed

comfortable in it. His make-up in the 2nd Act

was hardly in keeping with the main idea, and

detracted somewhat from the comic character of

the rôle. Mr. Suich made a fairly good Sir

Marmaduke, but he did not make nearly enough

of his-duet with Lady Sangasure. His best scene was where he introduces Mrs. Partlett after both have partaken of the love philtre. Mr. Charles Fisher sang and acted well as Alexis and received hearty applance for his singing of "Love feeds on many kinds of food." Ho was also very satisfactory in his scene with Aline after she has taken the love pothe worthy vicar. The only fault about Mr. Fisher's impersonation was his make-up, which perhaps this is almost too small a detail meritorious performance. Mr. Imano's Br. Dalu We have to asknowledge receipt of the an- his Pook-Bah in "The Mikado." The part is more. It was not nearly as good a performance as certainly not such a good one, but it contains instances are given of how the children, which are | tunity for display of vocal talent, which is Mr generally brought from the Sun-on district are Imano's strong point. On Tuesday evening, was born the fifth in her family. Her appearance, Imano, with one or two exceptions, hardly in Hongkong, as an actor not score heavily when the opportunity occurs As Aline, Miss Maud Hare looked well and of Commons did not practise self-control in resang well. Her scene with Alexis when the gard to neutral measures which improve the form while her duet with Dr. Daly "Oh, pity me and her solo "Let us fly to a far off land" were these. But, perhaps, the best performance in the whole piece was that of Miss Vera Patey as When it was introduced into the House of Lords | the English Statute law which have not been ex-Mrs. Partlett. This young lady has been making the Lord Chancellor resisted all amendments on tended to this Colony, but which it is desirable rapid strides lately in public favour, and since the ground that the measure was a Consolidate to incorporate here, and should indicate for the her return has shown a care and determination tion, not an Amending, Bill. It was sent by consideration of Council any such provisions that we have yet seen Miss Patey in, and the greatest exemption as Oxford and Cambridge was insert this colony of certain provisions in the law of credit is due to her for the manner in which she Lords proposed to confer a similar privilege in English law, namely, the application of Sec- been found guilty of the possession of ninety

demeanour were exactly adapted for the piece, Commons in a thin House. Hence bickerings proceedings. This code provides that the follow- chase from the licensee, and without an official We are told that "among the 27 pupils who while her acting in the scene where Dr. Daly and recriminations and the awakening of pasting persons are incompetent to testify—chil-export permit. The case from the commanceintroduces her to Alexis and Aline as his future Consolidation Act, which should be the ob- of receiving just impressions, persons of un- solicitor on the second hearing at once pleaded dumb but not deaf. So she has no difficulty in bride was so genuinely humourous that Miss ject of benevolent neutrality, seeing it is, sound mind, and so on. Well, the Commission guilty and made no further defence. Of course writing out, what she is told, and instead of the Patey was rewarded with a very hearty round or ought to be, only the accurate re-ex- suggests that this provision as to incompetency the defence they desired to make was that they of applause. Miss Gracie Whiteford can always be depended to give a good account of may be required to explain." The following is whatever character she is cast for, and Constance decided convictions as to legal reforms seized course if it is thought undesirable to act on this. them with the money. That introduced an eleanother passage from the report :- "Sometimes was no exception to the rule, although the piece | the opportunity of giving effect to them. Amend- it is separate from the Bill, which can be passed is not as well suited to Miss Whiteford's style ments were freely mooted; and the result is a without the suggested amendment. That is of mis-statement and false swearing on the part as some she has attempted. Mr. Robertson, as strong demand for steamers all over the East. times been taken to the Happy Vailey, to Pok. The "Arabi a Nights" went, if possible, better believe themselves free to disregard the objects fulam, to Shaukiwan and even to Stanley. This than ever on Tuesday, each individual member of the framers, or to treat it as so much canves of the Company working hard and entering for them to work upon, a process which has been hospitably entertained—which had never been thoroughly into the humour of the piece. measures as the Public Health Act, 1875, the of his best impersonations, and on Tuesday it gained for him unlimited laughter and applause. Mr. Sheridan, as Joshua Gilli- if it is sure to be made the battle-field of parties brand, is also well suited to the part and and the opportunity of crotchetmongers. their European guardians, personally inspected plays it with more genuine humour and less ex- I simply read this passage to show the Councilall the simple arrangements of the Asylum, and aggeration than almost anything he attempts, how precisely the same difficulties mentioned while Mr. Fisher and Mr. Sutch are of great assistance as Ormerod and Dobson respectively. It is only intended to re-enact existing Ordin-As Rosa Colombier Miss Whiteford repeated the snoes in order that the Legislature may have success she achieved on the first production of them in suitable shape to work upon. The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded. the piece; she is simply inimitable as the gutta percha "girl: Miss Leamington, as the mother-Point, and when in the dock was recognized by His Excellency the Governor also deigning to in-law, is also seen to good advantage, and gives few remarks. It seems from what the Attorney which is to amend the Arms Ordinance. The judicial. Even supposing the story to be true a woman living in D'Aguilar Street as one of a come out to greet them. All this will remain a really good performance, and the same may be General has teld us just now that it was very Bill is introduced in consequence of the recom. he could attach no value to it without credible said of Miss Patey as Hummingtop's niece.

> To-night the Company produce Gilbert and Sullivan's "Ruddigore," of which they gave a very successful performance during their last

The Legislative Council met yesterday after noon. There were present:-His EXCELLENCY THE ACTING GOVERNOR

Ton. F. STEWART, LL.D.

ead and confirmed.

Hon. E. L. O'MALLEY, Attorney-General Hon. H. E. WODEHOUSE, C.M.G., Colonia Hon. W. M. DEANE, Captain Superintenden

Hon. Wond Sirred. Hon. B. LAYTON.

Mr. SETH. Clerk of Councils The minutes of the previous meeting we

NATURALISATION BILL. The ATTORNEY GENERAL moved the fire reading of a Bill for the naturalisation of Tel Tak Pui, otherwise Chang U. The COLONIAL THRASURED seconded. Bill read a first time.

CHINESE EMIGRATION CONSOLIDATION

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-I have to move

he second reading of a Bill entitled the Chinese

Emigration Consolidation Ordinance. As thi

la the first of a new batch of Consolidation Or linauces, and as some time has elapsed since the last Ordinance was considered by the Council. I should like to say a word or two wit reference to the scope and purpose of these Consolidation Ordinances, especially as I think there is some misapprehension as regards their object. Sir, this is one of a number of Bills, Consolidation Bills, which have been prepared by the Law Revision Commission. The intention is to col lect together into one Ordinance all the provi sions relating to the subject matter, whatever it may be, that are scattered throughout the length and breadth of the sections of the Ordinances of this colony; to collect these scattered provisions together and form them into one Ordinance and to to exhibit the existing law in a convenient shape for reference and in a shape easily understood not for reference and in a shape easily understood not only by lawyers but by laymen who may be interested in the matter. With each Consolidation Ordinance that is presented by the Law Revision Commission is a schedule which has been compiled by the Commission with view to enable the Council to understand if they propose anything in the shape of smendment It was carefully provided against when the Law Revision Commission was originally established hat in these Consolidation Ordinances they should introduce nothing in the way of su stantial amendment in the law." If substantial smendments were allowed to be made it would te impossible to pass these Consolidated Or dinances without raising questions for debate and discussion, which would prevent anything like a complete consolidation of the Ordinance passed within a reasonable space The report which applies to this parti sular Ordinanco is a very good example of th comedy, "Arabian Nights", compensated for any kind of report the Law Revision Commission present with the others. I will the schedule, which states what portion of the existing local Ordinances are re-enacted, namel Ordinance 5 of 1876, Ordinance 1 of 1879, sections 2 to 8, and Ordinance 6 of 1879. These are the portions of the existing local Ordinances which are re-enacted in the Consolidation Act. Then follow what portions of the existing Ordinances are repealed; then what amendments are pro in the draft Bill, in this case what portion if any of the perial Statute law is incorporated in raft Bill, none. This report, it will be is a guarantee to Council that this Bill

less than the reproduction of the law in a form convenient for reference and consideration, insist particularly on this point with reference o this particular Bill in view of some remark made by His Excellency to the Council at : former meeting, in which he stated that the Go verument had under consideration and in contemolation a very substantial amendment of the laws elating to emigration. I mention this because there are several important suggestions unde consideration which will no doubt have to be considered as amendments by this Council. Hon. J. Behl-IRVING-They are not em odied in this Bill are they?

The ATTOBNEY-GENERAL-No. they quite separate, these Consolidation Ordinances tion, and as a result transferred her affections to contain no amendments. The object of all these Ordinances is that they should be passed without amendment so that no question should be raised thereon, and the fact that it is intended short! was certainly not that of a grenadier guard, but to take up the emigration question and to sub i stantially after and amend it is, I would suggest a strong reason and argument why. Ordinances in their present form. It will be was a fair conception of the part-but nothing found that they are simply the law as it now pose that the Committee consist of four. I been mentioned, and I wish to explain the cirstands exhibited in a convenient, consistent, and connected form. These remarks apply to every onsolidated Ordinance. Hon. J. BELL-IRVING-I understand the mendments will have to be made in the law.

> The ATTORNET-GENERAL-Yes, they will made upon this Ordinance, and instead of hav ing to amend portions of Ordinances here and there you will have one amended Ordin ance which may be subjected to amend be allowed to read a short extract from an article in the Times which I came scross this morning. It seems to bear on these Ordinances and to point out the diff debut culty that is imposed if they are taken as subjects for discussion. It is headed "The new edition of the Statutes and the Statute Law as satisfactorily by a select Committee as by the But such useful work would be arrested-it General, What would be the outcome of the schemes of the cleverest architect if any fussy passer-by might say 'I insist upon having a tower here. Consolidation Bills

statute for which no one is unite responsible. the only substantial alteration. If every Consolidation Bill is to fare no better Municipal Corporation Act, 1882, and the Coroners and Sheriffs Acts, 1887, will become very difficult. Every Government will think twice-before it introduces a Consolidation Bill. would occur here if Consolidation Ordinances are regarded as subject matter for contention.

Hon. B. LATTON-Before this Ordinance Miss Hare on Tuesday filled the part played Morrison's representation she plays it very satisfactorily, while Miss Arline plays the small part the clauses in it press heavily on various people | vation Ordinance. that they should be looked into. Before

agreeing to the second reading I should

Attorney General, whether it is the intention of the Government to bring in the Amended Ordinance at once, as I think the Bill should be discussed and amended by the mercantile community. The Attorney General has told us that this Ordinance is simply to consolidate the law, but the heading of the Bill says "consolidate and amend the law." The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-I think it would be

Botter if the words "amend the law" were left out Hon, B. LATTON-That alters the whole thing The ATTORNEY GENERAL-I think it was an inadvertence on the part of the Law Revision Commission that the words are left in the title because they say in their report there are no

amendments. Hon, B. LATTON-It alters the whole thing if these words are left out. It is then simply the same Ordinances as we have already but colleated together, I understand; but is it not somewhat strange that now we have this Ordinance we should be unable to criticise it and make amendments. I think we should ask when the Government intend to bring in this other Or-

His Excellency-I may assure the lini. Emigration Ordinance Amendment Hill as soon is impossible to do so. as possible. As far as I understand these Consolidation Ordinances the Law Revision Comnow stands. There is nothing here that is not the law of the colony now, but here we have the laws consolidated. Instead of having to search the statute book for these Ordinances we have this Ordinance everything connected with

clear now as to what this Ordinance but as it stands it really is "An Ordinance to consolidate and amend the law a jury, he shall send the depositions and the &c." A good many of these matters are subjects for discussion and the Chamber of Com- sidered that as publicity of enquiry by jury is into the matter, and they would like to know The Colonial TREASURER seconded.

this will be promised to them His EXCELLENCY—I think there is no diffi culty in promising you that. Everything that can be done to throw any light on the subject will. I am sure, be done

coding now. I understand that we are not allowing anything to pass which is new. His EXCELLENCY-No, there is nothing new n the Bill. It is really re-enacting a number Ordinances already in force.

Hon. B. LATTON-In agreeing to the second

Hon. B LATTON-I think it would be bette that the words "and smend the law" should b His Excellency—The words can be struck

Hon. B. LARTON-The subject of emigration is a very serious one, and we are very anxious to get at it, so to speak, and the sooner the better There are a number of matters at present which press heavily both on the Chinese and shippers here, and when I read that this Ordinance was to amend the law. I presumed it was a new Ordinance. I think the New Ordinance should be

brought in as soon as possible. His EXCELLENCY-I am sure there will be no unnecessary delay. With regard to the other matter it is very necessary to pass this Consolidation Ordinauce so that the Council and the Colony should know what the law is at the present moment. It is possible to proceed when that is done. With regard to emigration think we can safely promise that the Emigration Ordinance will be brought forward shortly, and also safely say that the Chamber of Commerce and other bodies interested will have full opporthe first defendant at the former hearing of the

tanity of considering it. The Bill was then read a second time. The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-In the ordinary course we should now refer the Bill to a Com mittee of the whole Council, but this being one of the Consolidation Ordinances it contains a large amount of matter which will take a considerable time to go through, and as no amendments can be made during that process I should suggest that it could be more conveniently done my explanation.

by referring the Bill to a small select committee so that the time of the Council generally will not be taken up by it. Hon. B. LAYTO .- It seems rather absurd to go through what cannot be altered. What

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-Nothing beyond re-numbering of paragraphs, but it must b done. It is a matter of form. If the Bill is referred to a small committee it will save the time of the Council. I would suggest that the Council refer the Bill to a few gentlemen who are willing to give attention to the matter for some little time. I should pro-Ryrie, as he is not present and I do not know whether he is able to find the time. I would propose that the Committee consist of Hon. Mr. Bell-Irving, Hon. Mr. Layton, the hon. Colonial

Tressurer, and myself. Hon. B. LAYTON-I should be glad to sit on the Committee if there was anything to do, but as it is simply renumbering of paragraphs, it is rather a waste of time unless absolutely necessary His EXCELLENCY-I think if the hon, member would take this view, that it is absolutely necessary to go through the Bill and if it is not referred to a select Committee it will be necessary for the whole Council to go through it he would perhaps be willing to sit. I am sure it! would be done more satisfactorily, or at any rate

whole Council. It was then agreed to refer the Bill to the Select Committee proposed by the Attorney-

BILL TO AMEND ORDINANCE 15 OF 1886. This Bill, which was simply to make a verbal amendment in Ordinance 15 of 1886, was put through the various stages and passed

THE EVIDENCE CONSOLIDATION BILL. The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-I have to move the second reading of this Bill. It is also a Consolidation Ordinance presented by the Law Revision Commission. In the instructions given to the Commission they are directed that they whether this is the name? the subject of contention. The history of should in all proceedings on the existing law point consider whother there were any provisions in the other House to the Standing Committee on they would recommend for incorporation. In ed in the House of Commons. The House of svidence which have been adopted in recent years

The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded.

COMPENSATION TO FAMILIES BYLL The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-I have to move the second reading of this Bill, which is also a Consolidation Ordinance sent up by the Law Revision Commission. The schedule states that a portion of the existing local Ordinance 10 of 1870 is re-enacted. As an amendment they suggest the incorporation of the provisions of the English law. The law of this colony corresponds with the law of England up to 27 and 28 Victoria, and the Commission propose to adopt these provisions as amendment so that the law here will have the same effect as in England.

The COLONIAL TREASURER Beconded. Bill read a second time and referred to the Belect Committee.

BILL TO AMEND ORDINANCE 6 OF 1887. passes the second reading I should like to make a the second reading of this Bill, the object of necessary that we should have this explanation of my hon. friend the Captain Super. evidence in support of it. He might consider it We have all been in doubt as to what consolidat intendent of Police. The amendment is to make true, but in order to expersate the defendants tion really meant, and from the passage just the provisions applicable to cases of arms found it must be proved, or they must take the conseand although she does not improve on Miss there are people in the House of Commons and the present prohibits the carrying only, but this provi- prove that the opium was sold described himself House of Lords with are not quite certain what alon will apply to arms found on board boats, or as the master of the Sni Kee shop, but they consolidation means. In looking at this Ordin- practically under a person's control, although not themselves had said that he was telling a false. ance the other day, it struck me that before this, strictly speaking in their possession in the mean. | hood-that he was not the master, and indeed it Ordinance was passed in any shape, it should be ing of Ordinance 6 of 1887. It really restores was ridiculous to suppose that he really was. It brought before the Chamber of Commerce and the the Arms Ordinance to the form in which its was utterly likely that a man of that kind. shipping community generally. So many of provisions were embedded in the Peace Preser, with important interests, would be entrusted.

The Colonial TREASURER seconded.

like to know, after the explanation of the BILL FOR FACILITATING THE INCORPORATION OF RELIGIOUS, EDUCATIONAL AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL proposed that this Bill, which was down for the accoud reading, be allowed to stand over as the matter required further consideration. The Colonial Treasurest seconded, and the motion was carried.

BILL TO AMEND OBDINANCE SI OF 1886. The ATTORNEY-GENERAL moved the first reading of this Bill; which had for its object the proservation of an anthentic record of the Ordinances of the Colony. The Ordinauco was recommended by the Law Revision Commission. The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded.

Bill read a first time. BILL TO AMEND THE CORONER'S ABOLITION ORDINANCE. The ATTORNEY GENERAL-I have to move the first reading of this Bill Hon: J. BELL-IRVING-It is not on the or ders of the day. I understood that notices of the reading of these Bills had to be placed there:

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL Not necessarily in the case of a first reading. His Excentency-Whenever possible notice member that the Government will bring in the will be given, but it sometimes happens that it The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-There is no par-

tionlar harry. It might stand over, but there is mission present to the Council the law as it no standing order to the effect that notice of the first reading is to be given. Hon. J. BELL-IRVING-I have no objection to its being read.

The ATTORNET-GENERAL-This Ordinanco is introduced by the direction of the Secretary of State. It is to amend the recently passed Hon. B. LAYTON-I think the explanation Ordinance for abolition of the post of Coroner, It provides that in all cases where a Magistrate holds an enquiry as to cause of death, without certificate to the Attorney-General. It is con-

Bill read a first time.

Hon. B. LANTON-I should like to know whether by assenting to the first reading we are pledging ourselves to the subject of the Bill. The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-No. it is morely matter of form. The rules of Connoil are that there should be no discussion or debats on the first reading. It is simply to bring the Bill be-

fore the Council. Hon. J. BELL-IRVING-But by assenting to he second reading we bind ourselves? The ATTORNEY-GENERAL -Decidedly; you seent then to the principle of the Bill. The Council then adjourned to Wednesday, the 5th December.

> POLICE COURT: 28th November

BEFORE HON. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

The adjourned hearing of this case was re-Kum Sing, first interpreter, stated that the ooks of the shop from which the opium was obtained showed that 250 chests of opium had been sold in a period of eight months. The defendants had had twenty different transactions with the Sui Kee shop and bad bought 30 chests from them. Some of this amount was prepared.

case to the effect that he told him not to acknow edged who owned the opium. His Worship-For whom do you appear? Mr. Hasting;-I appear for the lesses of the pinen Farm. I don't remember what his name is. His Worship-Ask the manager of the Opium Farm what his name is.

Mr. Hastings-I prefer to get it from-the

Mr. Hastings said that he wished to make an

explanation concerning what had been said by

man himself. In the meantime I desire to make His Worship insisted on knowing the name of Mr. Hastings' client first, and said that he could not allow him to address the court until he knew his standing before him. Mr. Hastings-My name has been spoken

bout in this case, and I wish to be allowed to make a statement. His Worship—I cannot— Mr. Hastings Your Worship, I think that I am entitled to it. I have a status here and-

His Worshin-I will take your evidence about the matter-if you like. Mr. Hastings-My evidence would not be at all material to this case. Only my name has ounstances in connection with the matter. His Worship-You may get into the box

Mr. Hastinge-Very well. I will get into the Mr. Hastings then stated in the witness box-

I am a solicitor and a clerk to Messrs. Wotton and Descon. On the 21st inst. I was instructed to appear for the first two defendants. I went up to the gool to take their statement, and was accompanied by Ng Sam-Kung and another man. took their statements through the interpreter: I did not tell oithor defendant not to schoow. ledge that they got the opium at the Sni Kee shop nor anything of the kind, nor snything about their being fined. I am not acquainted with Chinese, and do not know what was said o watch the case for the lesses of the Opinm Farm, by Ng Sam Kung, and cessed to not for the defendants. I have been informed of the name of the lesses but I am not sure of it. His Worship-What name do you think it

Mr. Hastings—I prefer not to mention it. I may not be the right name. His Worship-What objection have you? Mr. Hastings-I have no definite knowledge. but the name I heard was Ng Shing Po. I don't know whether he is the man or not. His Worship Mr. Spooner, do you know

Mr. Speener-I do not know. I was under the impression that Mr. Hastings appeared for His Worship-Mr. Hastings, you gave me to understand that you appeared for the Opium Farm, and I should like to know definitely.

Mr. Hastings-I appear for Ng Shan Po. Mr. Caldwell, on being asked, said-I am watching the case on behalf of the Opium Farmer. Mr. Johnson said he would leave the case in the hands of Mr. Wodehouse.

sions not at all favourable to the passing of a dren under seven years of age, unless capable ment was perfectly clear against them, and their pression of existing law. Much the same fate of persons to testify should be extended to all were acting as servants and really did not know befell that most useful measure, the County legal proceedings. This amendment they sub. that they were breaking the law, so that the Court Consolidation Bill. Every one who had mit to the consideration of the Council, but of blame regted with the persons who entrusted of those who ought to have known better that had seldom come before the notice of the Court. Bill passed a second time and referred to the and it was quite clear that there had been every effort made to-keep back information which i was thought would be prejudicial to those who had been endeavouring to keep it back. The only person in this Colony who was allowed tohave raw opining in his possession without the usual conditions attaching to it was the Opium Farmer. The defence said it was from the Onium Farmer they obtained the opinm, and it was added that they were going to smuggle it into China. Whether that was so or not it was not for him to say, but of course it was impossible for him to overlook the kind of evidence that has been given, both by the shopmen from whom they said they got the opium and the reresentative of the Opium Parmer. It was contradictory and contained nothing at all to which he could attach the ides that it was

true. What their object could be in telling stories of this kind of course he could only con-The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-I have to move jecture, but he could only say the effect it prowith them when he was unable to read or write a single word. But the defendants must be the sufferers for that. They had failed

VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LUADING.

attention to themselves. As the people whom to fear from English resistance. they called their principals declined to come forward and speak the truth he must deal with them as the principals. The first and second ment, and the other two, the boatmen, would be he committed spicide. fined \$250, or one month's imprisonment. The opium was to be confiscated.

CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our Correspondents].

THE EDUCATION OF THE BLIND. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." DEAR SIR, - s you have already, published several communications relating to the education of the blind, will you please to call the attention of ferential claim of anybody to lease the Ruby the interested public to the following points:—

Government had never recognised the preferential claim of anybody to lease the Ruby Mines in Burmah. Will the Colonial Government of Hongkong through its School Department, undertake to educate the youth who are blind or deaf if experienced and trustworthy teachers can be secured! The blind can learn much by giving attention to the oral instruction of seeing classes; therefore it is for that reason desirable that their class-rooms should adjoin those of the seeing pupils. The additional instruction of these "deprived" children in trades is a duty we owe them. As it is probable that the majority of those who would be candidates for such schools are too poor to feed and clothe themselves, there surely are benevolent people who would undertake to support a num-

ber of these indigent youth at the comparatively small sum per head requisite to feed them. There are teachers willing to come to Hongkong who already have become enthusiastic in der chosen life work of teaching the defective. It remains for some citizens in Hongkong to signify what they are willing to do in the matter. It seems a pity that as the years roll on and so much effort and treasure is expended upon the destructive pleasures of men that the young who from no fault of their own are deprived of sight or hearing should be left with no effort to relief their distress and make it a plessing to them and their philanthropic patrons. A lady in Berlin of experience in benevolent enterprises is anxious to have something dene for the blind of Hongkong: Why not scoure through her means a teacher of the blind from Germany? Her address can be obtained at the German Orphan House at West Point, Victoria. J. CROSSETT. Foochow, 21st November, 1888.

THE GERMAN MAIL.

The N. D. Lloyd steamer Proussen, with the German mail of the 30th October, arrived yesterday evening. The following telegrams are from Ceylon and Indian papers;---THE LORD MAYOR'S BANQUET. - SPEECH BY

LORD SALISBUIY. LONDON, 10th November. At the annual Lord Mayor's banquet at the Guildhall last night, Lord George Hamilton of a girl who had been in his service. said that he hoped in the near future to raise the English Navy to a completely adequate

Lord Salisbury said that he was never more enemy's firing gains daily in accuracy, and on sanguiue of success in Ireland than at the pre- the night before last five shells struck one of sent moment. Referring to the Sackville-West | the water forts, Lieutenants Gordon and Beech. affair, his lordship said that it was more an in Egyptian officer, and four gunners being electoral than a diplomatic incident. The result wounded, but none of them seriously. The of the Presidential election in the United rebels continue to extend their trenches. States showed that the American people discountenanced that statement. Turning to affairs in the East, his lordship said that the rebellion. headed by Ishak Khan against the Amir had been successfully suppressed, and Government have effects of poison. Ho reason to doubt the loyalty of the Amir. The opening of the river Karum to trade by the Shah of Persis, he said, would benefit the world, and betokens a beginning of new life for Persia. The expeditions to the Black Mountains and 174 deg. West and Lat. 74 deg. North, and Sikkim were, he said, only the surf marking that their position is hopeless. Over 500 per- Punjom and Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining and advancing tide of civilization. His Lordship, speaking of Suakim, said that

he regarded the situation there without much slarm, but added that it proves that England has] still a duty to perform in Egypt. The British Government have restored order there, and done much to restore the finances of the country, but I they must make the frontiers secure. Governrays pursued, looking forward to the day when I their responsibility in that quarter would cease. Referring to the situation in Europe, his lordship said that all the Great Powers, had every inducement to refrain from going to war. The danger proceeds from a possible outbreak of popular feeling overruling peaceful rules, and from the Imperial Court that the Czar has had a very ever-increasing armaments. Amidst such pro- narrow escape from assassination. It occurred parations England cannot remain unprepared, during his Majesty's presence in Kutais, a small and must insure not only her security but the city of 13,000 inhabitants, in Transcaucasia, on the THE JURISDICTION OF HIGH COURTS IN INDIA.

LONDON, 10th November. -High Courts in India, which was brought in rested having upon him several explosives in a Cruickshank & Co., Limited-\$43 per share, by Lord Cross in June last and read a first handy form, as well as some poison in gelatine time, has been withdrawn. DESPERATE FIGHTING IN THE SOUDAN.

LONDON, 10th November. were repulsed by the garrison and lost 3,000 THE RUSSIAN FLEET IN THE BLACK SEA. Sr. PETEESBURG. 9th November. In a Rescript from the Czar to the Grand take poison.

Duke Alexis His Majesty says that he was rejoiced during his visit in the South to observe ago he was expelled from one of the Universities the progress made in the formation of a Black for some imaginary political offence, and, his Sea fleet, thus securing the extension of trade and the protection of Russ a's rights in the founders of the South Russian Revolutionary Black Sea. THE ROYALISTS IN PRANCE.

Paris, 11th November.

de Bréteuil at Marseilles he said that the Royalists in France would give their support to General Boulanger because he represents the de- Intionary society have been arrested in Simfermand for change, and that being effected the na- opol. tion must then choose as to the future form of Govern nent.

BIOTING IN MADRID.

MADRED, 11th November. Great demonstrations of students intermixed with Republican agitators took place here throughout to-day against Seffor Canovas and other Conservative leaders. The carriage of Senor Canovas was stoned by the mob as it passed through the streets. The mob was ultimately dispersed without fighting taking place. BESIGNATION OF SIE CHARLES WAREEN.

LONDON, 13th November. Sir Charles Warren has resigned the Commissionership of the London Police in consequeuce of being reproved by Mr. Matthews, the Home Secretary, for publishing an article in Murray's Magazine. RELEASE OF MR. W. REDMOND.

LONDON, 13th November. Mr. William Redmond, imprisoned under the Crimes Act, has been released owing to ill-health. DEATH OF LORD LUCAN.

LONDON, 13th November. Obituary .- Field-Marshal the Earl of Lucan. ANOTHER IRISH M. P. IMPRISONED. -London, 14th November. Mr. Sheehan, M. P. for Kerry, has been sentenced to one month's imprisonment under the

Crimes Act for advising the adoption of the Plan of Campaign. THE PARNELL COMMISSION. LONDON, 15th November. Before the Parnell Commission yesterday seve-

ral Irishmen including some avowed Fenians testified to outrages in which they took part... DEATH OF SIE C. ELLICE. LONDON, 15th November. Obitnary.—General Sir Charles Ellice.

INCREASE OF RUSSIAN INFANTRY ON THE WESTERN PRONTIER. ST. PETERSBURG, 14th November. The Czar has ordered that the infantry in the

army corps on the western frontier be increased to two divisions each. ST. PETERSBURG, 15th November. It is officially explained that the increase to the infantry on the western frontier is solely a matter of redistribution of force, and is due to the abolition of Charkoff as a military district.

ADDRESS OF IRISH DISSENTING MINISTERS TO

LORDS SALISBURY AND HARTINGTON. LONDON, 15th November At a banquet given at the Hotel Métropole On Paris. last night, an address signed by 860 dessenting ministers in Ireland was presented to Lords

to prove their defence, and all he could deal Salisbury and Hartington to counteract the with was the fact that they were found with Home Rule address presented to Mr. Gladstone the opium and were unable to give a proper by the English dissenters. Lord Salisbury in account of how they got it. He considered it a reply ridiculed the idea that the granting of very bad case indeed—they were in a boat, trying to evade the Customs—in fact the very Federation of the Empire, and said that the reason they were discovered was because they surrender by the English to Ireland would be were acting in so suspicious a manner as to draw announcing to the world that there was lothing

BUPPOSED SUICIDE OF MR. PYNE, M.P. LONDON, 15th November. Mr. Pyne, Parnellite member for Waterford defendants, who had charge of the opium, would fell over between Holyhead and Dublin last be fined \$1,000 each, or three months imprison- night and was drowneds. It is believed that PROPOSED EXTENSION OF THE LAND.

> LONDON, 16th November. Mr. Balfour in the House of Commons last night announced that he would introduce a bill on Monday next asking for £5,000,000 for the purpose of extending the Land Purchase Act. Mr. Gladstone will oppose the bill with one dealing with arrears.

PURCHASE ACT.

THE RUBY MINES LONDON, 16th November. Sir John Gorst in reply to a question said that Government had never recognised the pre-

DREADFUL FERRY ACCIDENT IN THE HOOGHLY. CALCUTTA, 6th November. The ferry boat Mongolia left the Chandpal Ghat with 100 passengers. On nearing the landing stage at Matiabreij, the tag Clive collided with her, when the latter sank at once. It is believed from 60 to 80 passengers were drowned CALCUTTA, 7th November. At the police enquiry yest rday it transplr that simultaneously with the foundering of t Mongolia, the boilers burst. The evidence sho that the serang crossed the bows of the tng Old Up to this afternoon eight bodies have been covered, some of which were fearfully scalde Divers are at work

ICHAR RHAN. ALLAHABAD, 7th November. It is believed that Ishak Khan remains Bhokra as the guest, and is not to be entertain ed as a refugee by Russia as she is anxious conciliate Abdur Rhaman.

DESPATCH OF TROOPS TO BURMAH. ALLAHABAD, 7th November. A party of 250 picked men of the 17th Bengal Infantry have been ordered to embark from Calculta on the 16th instant for Burmah, to take part in the Mogoung expedition. SIR CHARLES DILKE.

KURBACHEE, 7th November. Sir Charles and Lady Dilke arrived vestorday and left by the mail for Quetta, where they will be the guests of Sir Robert Sandeman.

The following items are from late London papers, for which we are indebted to Messrs. lielchers and Co. :--JAMES YOUNG'S CASE. .

At the Central Criminal Court, on Saturday, before Mr. Justice Cave. James Young, who was indicted for shooting the seducer of his daughter, was bound over in his own recognisance of £20 to keep the peace for twelve months. REAVY LIBEL DAMAGES:

Two thousand pounds damages were awarded on Saturday to the Rev. E. D. Roberts, the plaintiff in a libel action in the Queen's Bench Division, against the proprietors of the Western Mail, who, he complained, had published articles imputing that he was the father of the child

THE SITUATION IN THE BOUDAN. SUARIN, 28th October. The situation here remains unchanged. The

CAIRO, 27th October. Natives who have arrived at Wady Halfa from Sarras state that Walad el-Njumi, the leader of the Dervishes, has died at Dongola from the

NEW YORK, 27th October. Intelligence received here from Alaská states that thirteen whalers are ice-bound in Long: sons are on board the vessels, which, together

with their cargoes, are expected to become a Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tls. 18 per A Lloyd's Agency despatch adds the subjoined particulars: "San Francisco telegram states as follows: 'Howland reports on Sept. 27, lat. 74 North, long. 174 West, thirteen whalers ice ment, he said, adhere to the policy they have al- that two steamers have gone to their assistance, but probably will not reach them.

> NABROW ESCAPE OF THE CZAR FROM ASSASSINATION. ST. PETERSBURG, 28th October. It appears from a telegram which the Minister of the Interior has received from the Minister of route from Tiffis to the coast of the Black Sea.

About five minutes before the advent of the The bill for extending the jurisdiction of the in the Rue Tiflis, a Kouban Cossack was arcapsules. The man who had been deputed to Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited-\$121 per make an attempt on the life of the Czar, came News has been received that 70,000 Mahdista watched by the police, and was disguised as a made an attack upon Wadai in the Soudan, but Cossack officer. In this attire he had mixed freely with the crowd, and his capture was made men. A fresh attack was, however, made, in in the very nick of time. It was accomplished which they were successful and captured the town. so quietly as to attract no attention, and the The Sultan took to flight during the confusion. | matter was immediately hushed up. The prisoner made no resistance, but directly after his seizure he attempted though unsuccessfully to

The would-be assassin is known. Some years career being thus rained, he became one of the Society. No papers were found upon him. except a proclamation emanating from that society. He will be sent to St. Petersburg, to In an outspoken speech made by the Marquis I be detained in the Fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul and dealt with administratively. Several members belonging to the same revo-

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENOR.

WEDNESDAY, 28th November.

EXPORT CARGOES. Per British steamer Kaisow, sailed on the 24th November: For London-88,169 lbs. congon, 4,000 lbs. scented crange pekce, 100,233 lbs: scented caper, 216 bales waste silk, 12 boxes bristles, 20 boxes cantharides, 143 rolls matting, and 18 packages sundries. Per German steamer Sachsen, sailed on the

25th November: For Port Said-1 case effects. For Genoa-15 cases star-anisced, 20 cases essential oil, and 8 cases blackwood ware. For Antwerp-40 cases chinaware, 28 packages snndries, and 60 packages tea, from Foochow. For Buenos Ayres—37 cases curios. For Amsterdam -3 cases merchandise. For London option Hamburg -- 30 boxes merchandise. For Hamburg-276 bales feathers, 45 cases bristles. 5 cheste tea, and I case curios. For New York-45 bales silk, and 10 cases silks. For London-70 boxes essential oil, 30 boxes bristles, 235 bales waste silk, and 125 packages fire crackers. For Copenhagen-6 cases tea. For Bremen-128 rolls matting, 3 bales feathers, 3 boxes allk goods, 2 boxes lacquered ware, 8 cases bristles, and 697

Quotations are:-

half-chests tea. from Foochow.

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		Oakes	Hongkong	Arnhold, Karberg & Co	Quick despatch.
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NEW YORK	Raphael	Harkness		Pustau & Co	Quick despatch. Quick despatch.
NEW YORK	Wakefield	Crowell	Hongkong	Siemesen & Co	Quick despatch.
NEW YORK NEW YORK NEW YORK	H.G. Johnson	Colby		Russell & Co	Quick despatch.
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SHARES. Quotations are :--. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-156 per cent. premium, buyers. Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited-\$90 per share, sellers.

!hina Traders' Insurance Company's Shares-\$70 per share. North China Insurance-Tls. 290 per share. Yangtsze Insurance Association-Tls. 974 per Chinese Insurance Company, Limited—\$165 per On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 148

Canton Insurance Office. Limited-197 per Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$320 per share. China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$731 per share, buyers. Straits Marine Insurance Company, Limited-\$25-nom.

Straits Fire Insurance Company, Limited-Hongkong and Whampea Dock Company Shares—87 per cent. prem. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat, Co.'s Shares-120 per cent. prem., sales. Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares-20 per cent. discount.

China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited -\$165 per share. Douglas Steamship Company, Limited—\$65 per share, sales. Rongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$135 per Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$170 per China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$191 per share, sellers.

Juson Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$94 per share, buyers. Hongkong Ice Company's Shares-894 per above Ports on or about the 1st December. share, buyers. Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -\$85 per share. Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company -In liquidation. Company, Limited-\$9 per share, sellers.

Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited-\$82 per share. S. Watson & Co., Limited-100 per cent. bound. Considers no chance getting out. Says Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited—\$162 per ahare, buyers. Singapore Insurance Company, Limited-\$16

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-110 per cent. prem., nom. Hongkong High Level Tramways Company, Limited-275 per cent, prem., nom. per share, sellers. ex div., sellers.

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W. DOBERCK.

Hongkong Observatory, 28th November, 1888

VESSELS ON THE BERTH. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. T'HE Company's Steamship "PALINURUS,"

Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND TO-DAY, the 29th inst., at Noon. Passengers for Europe desiring to proceed Overland, can, on application to the undersigned, have their Tickets endorsed for surrender Algiers in exchange for Conpon Tickets to Marseilles (by Transatlantic Company's express Boats) and thence to Paris or London. Algiers is 28 hours steam from Marseilles and hence to London occupies about the same time. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. [2056] "THAMES," Captain W. A. Seaton, R. N.R., Hongkong, 28th November, 1888.

FOR NAGASAKI AND KOBE. HE Steemship "STRATHLEVEN."

. W. Pearson. Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 29th inst., at Five P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 29th November, 1888. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. TIME Company's Steamship

"ZAFIRO." Captain McCaslin, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 1st December. at FOUR P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co.. General Managers. Hongkong, 27th November, 1888. NORDDEUTSCHEE LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAE TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI (Passing through the INLAND SEA). ITHE Company's Steamship

"GENERAL WERDER," Captain W. von Schukmaun, will leave for the For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.

Hongkong, 26th November, 1888. EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, AND

ADELAIDE. Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.) THE Steamship "TANNADICE."

laptoin Shannon, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 2nd proximo, at of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the THE A L. British Bark For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, 26th November, 1888.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates Emperor, for whom a dense crowd was waiting East Borneo Planting Company, Limited-\$65 for Ningpo, Chefoo, Newchwang, Tientsin, HANKOW, and PORTS on the YANGTSZE.) THE Company's Steamship

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Hongkong, 24th November, 1888. THE "GIBB" LINE. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE Calling at SINGAPORE, JAVA, PORT DARWIE

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Managers. Hougkong, 24th November, 1888. [2170 3.167 Tons Register, Wallace, Commander FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, AND HAM BURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL. (Taking Cargo at through rates to Antwest AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL, and BREMEN.) THE Steamship

"BELLONA," Captain C. Haesloop, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 6th December at FOUR P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, 27th November, 1888, STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA). THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

will leave for the above places on SUNDAY the 9th December, at DAYLIGHT. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. Hongkong, 27th November, 1888. NORDDDUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI. THE Company's Steamer

For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, 24th November, 1888.

" PREUSSEN. Captain C. Pohle, will leave for the above place same will be received by us until 5 P.M. the about 24 hours after arrival with the outward day previous to salling. German Mail For further Particulars, apply to MELOHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, 26th November, 1888. FOR NEW YORK. THE 8/3 L. I. American Ship DANIEL BARNES." Storer, Master, shortly expected, will load here Howe. Master, shortly expected, will load here for the above Port, and will have a quick dest for the above Port, and will have a quick

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> D. E. Brown, District Freight Agent Van-COLVEY, B.C. Freight will be received on Board until 4 P.M. on the 12th December. All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full; and the For information as to Passage or Freight.

sent to the Company's Offices addressed to Mr.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Hongkong, 16th November, 1888. FOR NEW YORK. FIRE S/SL L. L. Norwegian Bark "ISABEL"

despatch. For Freight, apply to vessels on the berth. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

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